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PLEASE, SARGE, DON'T TELL THE COLONEL! I MIGHT GET IN TROUBLE!
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a 90 lb. weakling who became world's strongest man

George Jowett BEFORE

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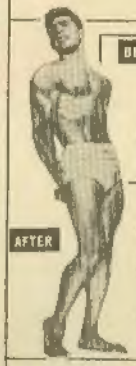

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PVT. DOBERMAN

BUT, SARGE--IT HAS TO WORK! I'M MAKING IT OUT OF SCRAP ELECTRONIC PARTS!
TOO BAD YOU CAN'T GET ONE MORE FOR YOUR BRAIN, DUANE. AT LEAST YOU'D HAVE SOMETHING!

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BUT SARGE, YOU CAN'T GET ELECTRONIC PARTS FOR A BRAIN.' WE HUMANS ARE SUPPOSED TO BE BORN WITH ONE.'
THAT'S RIGHT, DUANE, I'M GLAD YOU REALIZE THAT--
NOW GET THAT DO-NOTHING ELECTRONIC DOO-HICKEY OUT OF HERE SO I CAN CONCENTRATE.'
SURE, SARGE...
MAYBE I CAN HELP YOU CONCENTRATE, SARGE. WHAT'S YOUR PROBLEM?
YOU MEAN APART FROM YOU, DOBERMAN?
MY PROBLEM IS--WE GOTTA FIND A NICE, QUIET PLACE ON THE POST WHERE WE CAN HOLD OUR GAMES WITHOUT BEING RAIDED.'
IS THAT ALL, SARGE?
THAT'S ALL! SIMPLE, EH? NO PROBLEM AT ALL TO YOU, EH, MASTER-MIND?
OH, THAT'S RIGHT, SARGE.'
I KNOW JUST THE PLACE. I'VE BEEN KEEPING IT A SECRET.'
I FORGOT TO ADD, IT MUST BE A PLACE THE M.P.'S DON'T KNOW, TOO... OR ELSE IT'S NO SECRET.'
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SURE, SARGE. NOBODY KNOWS ABOUT THIS PLACE BUT ME.
YOU SURE, DOBERMAN? YOU KNOW THIS IS AN ARMY CAMP. WE GOT LOTS OF SOLDIERS HERE BESIDES YOU AND ME.
TICK! TICK! CLICK! CLACK!
WHERE IS THIS SECRET HIDEAWAY OF YOURS, DOBERMAN?
DOWN BY THE AIR-STRIP, SARGE. NOBODY GOES THERE. IT'S TOO SPOOKY AND NEAR THE SWAMPS.
WHAT'S UP, ERNIE?
C'MON. DOBERMAN SAYS HE KNOWS A PLACE DOWN NEAR THE AIR-STRIP PERFECT FOR OUR GAMES.
THE AIR-STRIP, ERNIE? AIN'T THAT KIND OF RISKY?
YOU MEAN ABOUT PLANES LANDING ON US, BARBELLA? DON'T WORRY. THEY ONLY LAND THERE AND TAXI DOWN THE RUNWAY.
TICK! TICK! CLICK! CLACK!
KEEP OUT! AIR-STRIP
HERE WE ARE, SARGE. WHAT'D I TELL YOU? PERFECT, EH?
BZZZZ
TICK! TOCK!
PERFECT? BUT THERE'S NOTHING HERE, DOBERMAN. WE CAN'T PLAY GAMES OUT IN THE OPEN. THE PILOTS MIGHT FIND OUT ABOUT THIS SPOT.
I DUNNO ABOUT THE PILOTS, BUT THE MOSQUITOES KNOW ABOUT IT ALL RIGHT.
BZZZZ
SLAP!
BZZZZ
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MEANWHILE... IN A ROBOT CONTROL ROOM AT THE PENTAGON...
HOW'S THE NEW ROBOT PLANE GOING, COLONEL?
FINE, GENERAL! WE'VE GOT IT CHARTED OVER KANSAS NOW, NEAR FORT BAXTER. IT'S UNDER PERFECT ELECTRONIC CONTROL!
CALCULATING ITS AMAZING SPEED ACCORDING TO OUR TIME-TABLE, IT SHOULD BE LANDING HERE IN EIGHTEEN MINUTES!
AMAZING!
THIS IS OUR FIRST CROSS-COUNTRY FLIGHT UNDER ROBOT CONTROL WITH THIS SECRET MODEL, GENERAL.
I THINK WE'VE GOT SOMETHING THIS TIME, COLONEL!
IF THIS PLANE IS AS FAST AS YOU SAY, IT WILL CHANGE OUR WHOLE STRATEGIC PLAN--
FASTEST IN THE WORLD, SIR! WAIT--JUST A MINUTE.
TICK! TICK! TICK! CLUNK!
CLICK!
IS ANYTHING WRONG?
PLENTY! THERE SEEMS TO BE SOME KIND OF ELECTRONIC DISTURBANCE! THE ROBOT WON'T ANSWER CONTROLS!
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NOT ANSWERING CONTROLS? WHAT DOES THAT MEAN?
IT MEANS SOMEBODY MUST BE AWARE OF OUR SECRET MODEL, SIR. THEY'RE TUNED INTO OUR ELECTRONIC PATTERN!
AND WORSE THAN THAT, SIR. OUR ROBOT IS RESPONDING TO THEIR SIGNALS NOW, NOT OURS!
WHAT?
HUH? SO WHAT? A PLANE? YES, A PLANE. SO?
HEY SARGE, LOOK! A PLANE!
YEAH, BUT THIS ONE'S LANDING!
THAT'S WHAT IT'S SUPPOSED TO DO, BARBELLA! THIS IS AN AIR-STRIP!
SARGE, LOOK OUT! THIS PILOT'S OFF BEAM! HE'S COMING STRAIGHT FOR US!
HEY! TAKE COVER, MEN!
CLICK!
CLICK!
CLACK!
CLACK!
CLICK!

IT'S OKAY, SARGE, IT'S STOPPING.
JUST IN TIME, TOO. I'VE GOT A GOOD MIND TO TALK TO THAT JET-HAPPY COWBOY PILOT.
HEY YOU! WHAT KINDA FLYIN' YOU CALL THAT? THIS IS JUST THE AIR-STRIP. THE TOWER'S UP AHEAD--YOU GOTTA TAXI UP!
THAT'S FUNNY--NOBODY ANSWERS.
OF COURSE, SARGE. IT'S A ROBOT...
A ROBOT PLANE? YOU MEAN IT FLIES BY ITSELF? TAKES OFF? LANDS?
THAT'S RIGHT--IT'S ALL DONE BY ELECTRONIC CONTROLS!
HMM--NOT BAD! NOT A BAD LANDING AT THAT!

NOW THERE'S SOMETHING YOU SHOULD BE WORKING ON, DOBERMAN. SOMETHING USEFUL, INSTEAD OF THAT CRAZY BEEP-BEEP NOTHING.!
YES, SARGE.!
COME TO THINK OF IT, DUANE, YOU'D BETTER RUN OVER TO THE TOWER, AND TELL 'EM ABOUT THE PLANE.!
OKAY, SARGE.!
IS IT OKAY IF I TAKE MY ELECTRONIC INVENTION WITH ME, SARGE? I DON'T WANNA LOSE IT.!
SURE, DOBERMAN, AND MAKE IT SNAPPY. WE STILL GOTTA FIND A PLACE TO HOLD THOSE GAMES.!
I'LL BE RIGHT BACK, SARGE.!
CLICK.! CLICK.! CLICK.!
YOU'D BETTER, BECAUSE--
HUH?
T-THE PLANE IS FOLLOWING DOBERMAN.!
CLICK.! CLICK.!
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BILKO--GET A GRIP ON YOURSELF! THAT PLANE ISN'T FOLLOWING DOBERMAN! THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE!
IT MUST BE UNDER ITS OWN SIGNALS TO TAXI DOWN THE RUNWAY!
OH SARGE! I JUST REMEMBERED ANOTHER PLACE I SAW WHERE YOU COULD HOLD YOUR GAMES IN SECRET!
HUH?!? THE PLANE IS TURNING!
CLICK! CLICK! CLICK!
DOBERMAN, EXCUSE ME FOR ASKING -- BUT DO ROBOT PLANES ALWAYS FOLLOW YOU AROUND?
CLICK! CLICK!
HEH, HEH! OH, IT AIN'T ME IT'S FOLLOWING, SARGE! IT'S MY ELECTRIC INVENTION! I GUESS THE PLANE THINKS I'M ITS MASTER!
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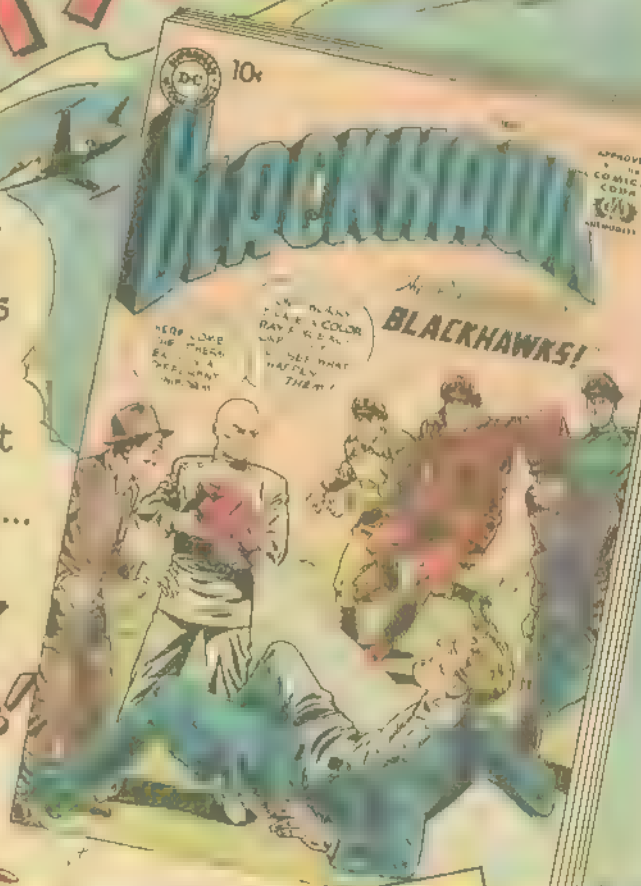

ORDER OF THE DAY
Three cases to be solved:
"RETURN OF THE JAILER!"
"CREATURE of 1,000 POWERS!"
"The RAINBOW BLACKHAWKS!"

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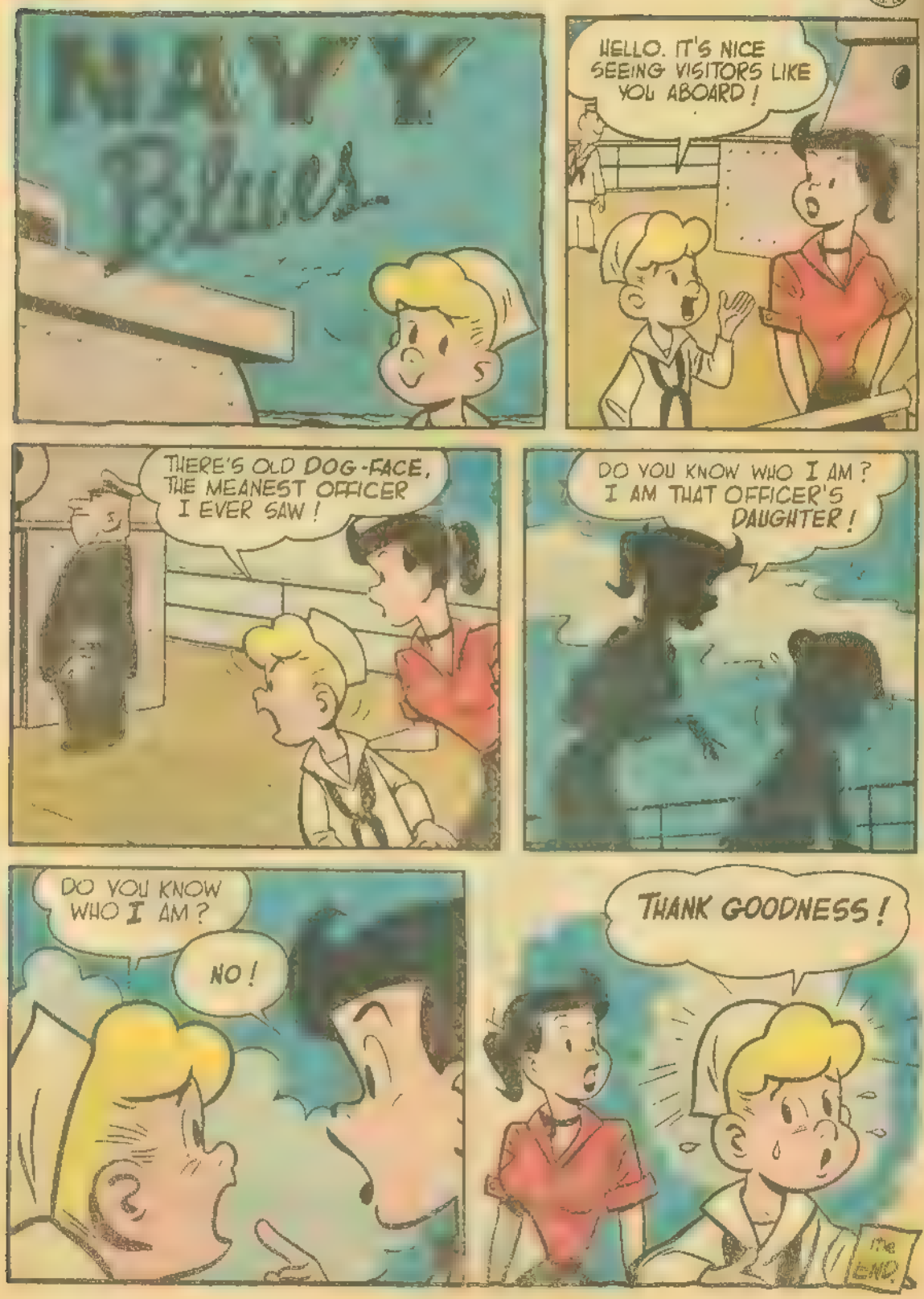
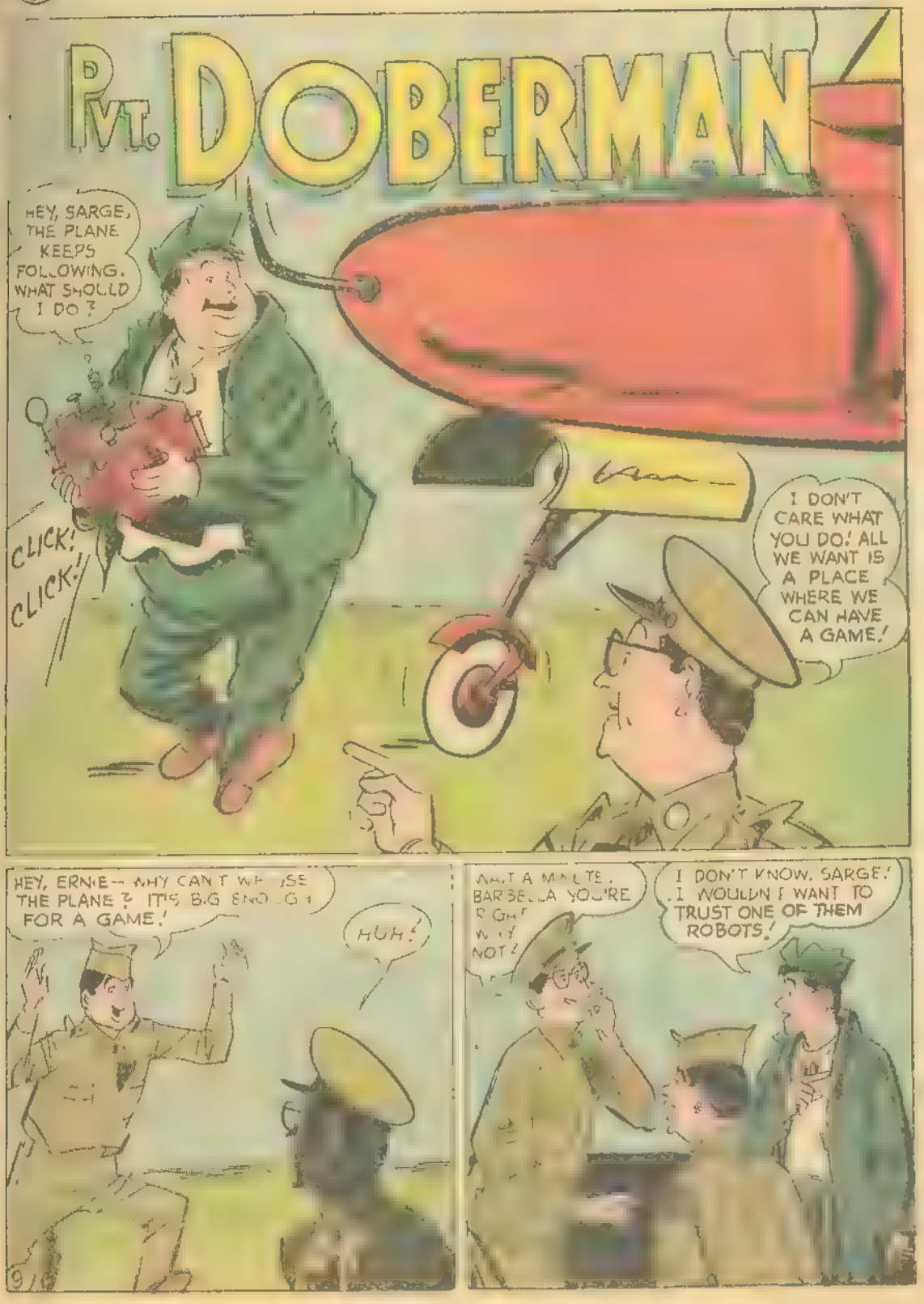
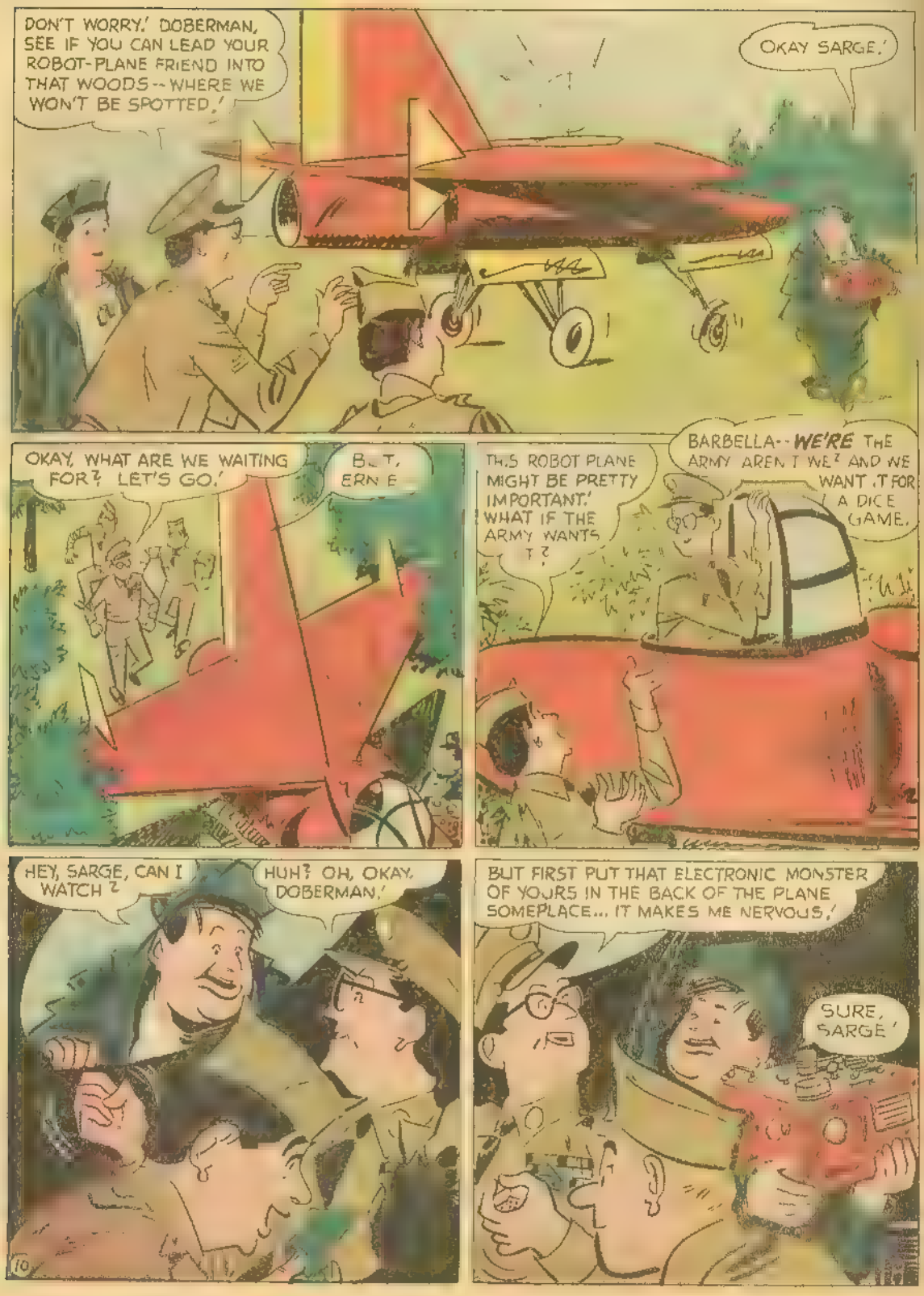
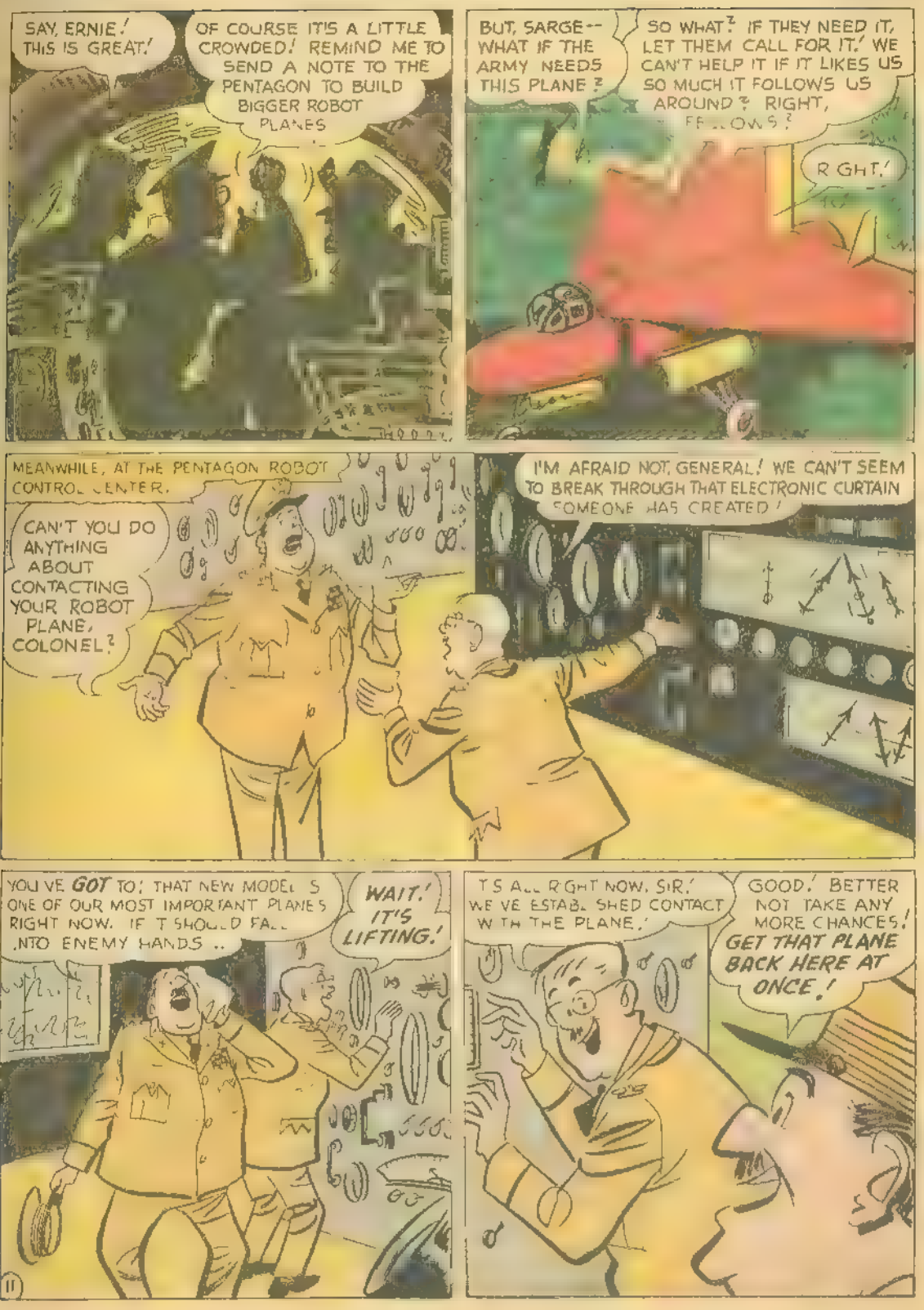

NAVY Blues
HELLO. IT'S NICE SEEING VISITORS LIKE YOU ABOARD!
THERE'S OLD DOG-FACE, THE MEANEST OFFICER I EVER SAW!
DO YOU KNOW WHO I AM? I AM THAT OFFICER'S DAUGHTER!
DO YOU KNOW WHO I AM?
NO!
THANK GOODNESS!
THE END


PVT. DOBERMAN
HEY, SARGE, THE PLANE KEEPS FOLLOWING. WHAT SHOULD I DO?
CLICK! CLICK!
I DON'T CARE WHAT YOU DO! ALL WE WANT IS A PLACE WHERE WE CAN HAVE A GAME!
HEY, ERNIE-- WHY CAN'T WE USE THE PLANE? IT'S BIG ENOUGH FOR A GAME!
HUH!
WAIT A MINUTE, BARBELLA YOU'RE RIGHT! WHY NOT?
I DON'T KNOW, SARGE! I WOULDN'T WANT TO TRUST ONE OF THEM ROBOTS!


DON'T WORRY, DOBERMAN, SEE IF YOU CAN LEAD YOUR ROBOT-PLANE FRIEND INTO THAT WOODS -- WHERE WE WON'T BE SPOTTED.
OKAY SARGE.
OKAY, WHAT ARE WE WAITING FOR? LET'S GO.
BUT, ERNIE
THIS ROBOT PLANE MIGHT BE PRETTY IMPORTANT. WHAT IF THE ARMY WANTS IT?
BARBELLA -- WE'RE THE ARMY AREN'T WE? AND WE WANT IT FOR A DICE GAME.
HEY, SARGE, CAN I WATCH?
HUH? OH, OKAY, DOBERMAN.
BUT FIRST PUT THAT ELECTRONIC MONSTER OF YOURS IN THE BACK OF THE PLANE SOMEPLACE... IT MAKES ME NERVOUS.
SURE, SARGE.


SAY, ERNIE! THIS IS GREAT!
OF COURSE IT'S A LITTLE CROWDED! REMIND ME TO SEND A NOTE TO THE PENTAGON TO BUILD BIGGER ROBOT PLANES
BUT, SARGE-- WHAT IF THE ARMY NEEDS THIS PLANE?
SO WHAT? IF THEY NEED IT, LET THEM CALL FOR IT.' WE CAN'T HELP IT IF IT LIKES US SO MUCH IT FOLLOWS US AROUND? RIGHT, FELLOWS?
RIGHT!
MEANWHILE, AT THE PENTAGON ROBOT CONTROL CENTER.
CAN'T YOU DO ANYTHING ABOUT CONTACTING YOUR ROBOT PLANE, COLONEL?
I'M AFRAID NOT, GENERAL! WE CAN'T SEEM TO BREAK THROUGH THAT ELECTRONIC CURTAIN SOMEONE HAS CREATED!
YOU'VE GOT TO! THAT NEW MODEL IS ONE OF OUR MOST IMPORTANT PLANES RIGHT NOW. IF IT SHOULD FALL INTO ENEMY HANDS..
WAIT! IT'S LIFTING!
IT'S ALL RIGHT NOW, SIR.' WE'VE ESTABLISHED CONTACT WITH THE PLANE.'
GOOD.' BETTER NOT TAKE ANY MORE CHANCES! GET THAT PLANE BACK HERE AT ONCE!
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CLICK!
CLICK!
CLICK!
COME ON SNAKE EYES!
SHOOT AGAIN-- YOU'RE FADED.'
BABY NEEDS NEW SHOES / COME ON, SEVEN.'
HEY, DOBERMAN... HOW ABOUT RUNNING DOWN TO THE P.X. FOR SOME COFFEE, HUH?
OKAY SARGE.
GEE!
WHAT, DUANE-- BACK SO SOON? WHERE'S THE COFFEE?
I'M SORRY, SARGE. I COULDN'T GO! IT'S TOO FAR.'
WHAT'S TOO FAR? YOU'RE GETTING SOFT, DOBERMAN. THE P.X. ISN'T MORE THAN A FEW BLOCKS AWAY!
NO, NOW SARGE, IT'S ABOUT A MILE AWAY STRAIGHT DOWN!
OOH!

PVT. DOBERMAN

STOP WITH THE JOKES DOBERMAN WE WANT COFFEE!
BUT SARGE, I TOLD YOU--I CAN'T GO! 'TIS TOO FAR DOWN WE'RE FLYING
MAYBE HE'S RIGHT, SARGE! AFTER ALL, THAT'S AN AIRPLANE
ALL RIGHT, YOU'RE SO SURE, TAKE A LOOK! IN FACT, LET'S ALL TAKE A LOOK!
HOLY COW! YOU'RE RIGHT, WE ARE FLYING!
?
BUT I CAN'T FLY, I DON'T HAVE A PARACHUTE
HEY SARGE! WE'RE STILL CLIMBING! WHAT ARE WE GONNA DO?
HOW SHOULD I KNOW! NEXT TIME WE GO OUT FOR A DICE RIDE IT'S ALL PARACHUTES
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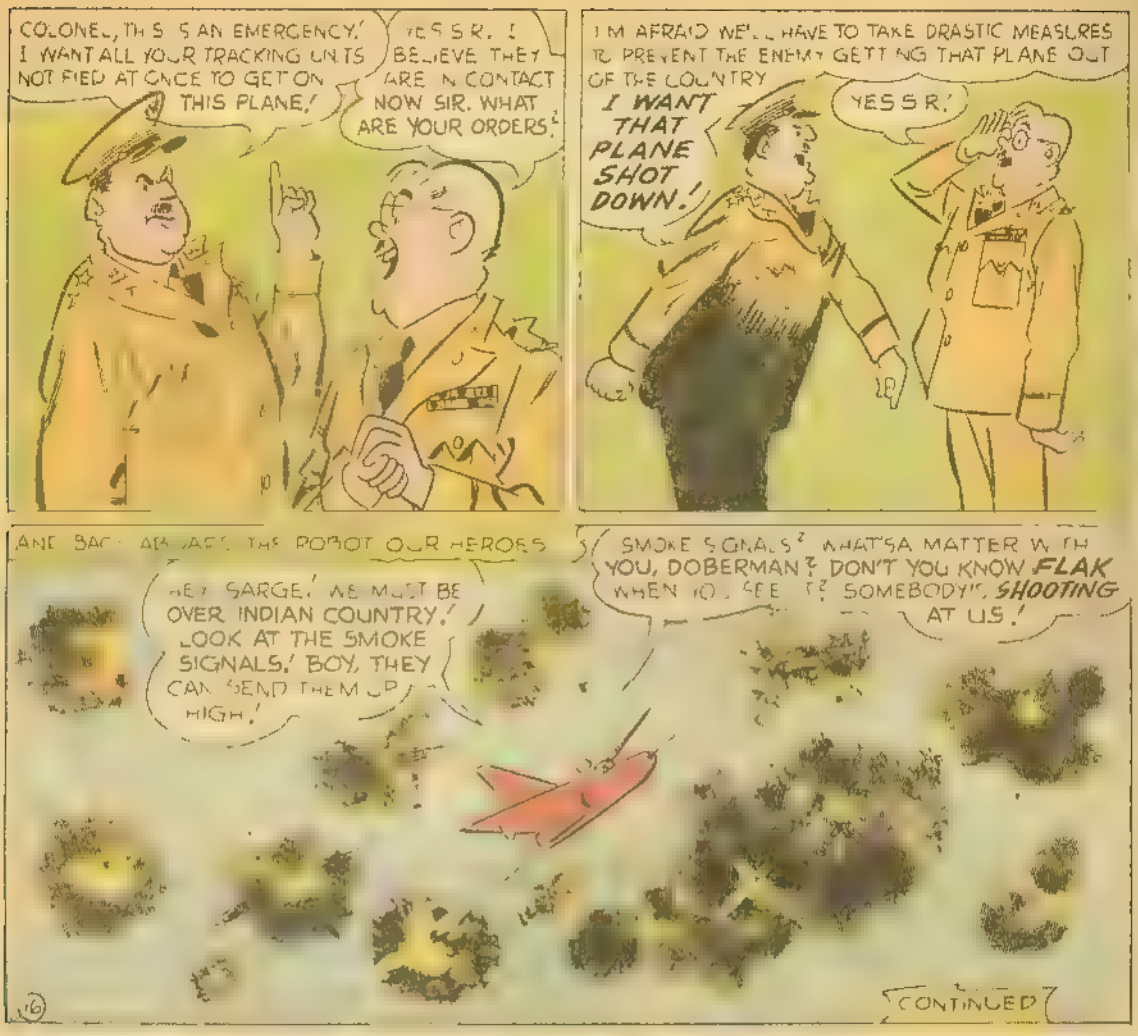
BUT S-SARGE, WHERE ARE WE GOING?
SEARCH ME, DOBERMAN! BUT WHY WORRY... YOU'RE GETTING A FREE RIDE! ENJOY THE COUNTRY!

SARGE, I JUST HAPPENED TO THINK! IF WE STAY UP IN THIS PLANE, WE'LL ALL BE AWOL!
THAT'S RIGHT, SARGE-- WHAT ARE WE GONNA DO?
WHAT'SA MATTER WITH YOU GUYS? WHAT AM I--A PILOT OR SOMETHING? AS FAR AS I'M CONCERNED I HOPE THIS THING STAYS UP IN THE A.R. WE'RE IN ENOUGH TROUBLE WHEN WE LAND!
ANYWAY, LET'S STOP WORRYING, WE GOTTA THINK OF SOMETHING!
I THINK I'LL GO BACK AND CHECK AND SEE IF MY INVENTION IS ALL RIGHT!
WE GOTTA THINK OF SOMETHING REAL FAST, ERNIE!
OKAY-- BUT WHAT'S THE RUSH? WE GOT PLENTY OF TIME!
I DON'T THINK SO, SARGE! BECAUSE IT LOOKS LIKE WE'RE GONNA RUN RIGHT INTO THAT BIG MOUNTAIN!
HUH?

DOBERMAN! GET UP HERE! FRONT AND CENTER! WE NEED ALL THE WEIGHT FORWARD--YOU'RE HOLDING IT BACK!
OKAY, SARGE!
I'M BRINGING MY INVENTION TOO!
LOOK, ERNIE! WE'RE GOING UP! WE'RE GONNA CRASH!
SEE, I KNEW IT! THAT'S WHAT WE GOTTA DO--KEEP DOBERMAN UP FRONT!
HEY, DOBERMAN! WE'RE TURNING AROUND!
OKAY, SARGE! I WON'T TOUCH ANYTHING!
AND AT THE PENTAGON...
GENERAL! I'M AFRAID I'VE GOT BAD NEWS, SIR! WE'VE LOST CONTROL OF OUR ROBOT PLANE AGAIN! IT'S CHANGED COURSE--IT'S HEADING WEST!
WHAT?!? NO DOUBT ABOUT IT NOW! IT'S IN ENEMY HANDS!


COLONEL, THIS IS AN EMERGENCY. I WANT ALL YOUR TRACKING UNITS NOTIFIED AT ONCE TO GET ON THIS PLANE!
YESSIR. I BELIEVE THEY ARE IN CONTACT NOW SIR. WHAT ARE YOUR ORDERS?
I'M AFRAID WE'LL HAVE TO TAKE DRASTIC MEASURES TO PREVENT THE ENEMY GETTING THAT PLANE OUT OF THE COUNTRY
I WANT THAT PLANE SHOT DOWN!
YESSIR!
AND BACK ABOARD THE ROBOT OUR HEROES
HEY SARGE! WE MUST BE OVER INDIAN COUNTRY! LOOK AT THE SMOKE SIGNALS! BOY, THEY CAN SEND THEM UP HIGH!
SMOKE SIGNALS? WHAT'S A MATTER WITH YOU, DOBERMAN? DON'T YOU KNOW FLAK WHEN YOU SEE IT? SOMEBODY'S SHOOTING AT US!
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On Hallowe'en when witches meet
and green-eyed goblins roam the scene
Though their cry is "TRICK or TREAT"
Tootsie Roll POP
is what they mean!

"A Candy "TREAT" that can't be beaten

The only POP in the world with a center of delicious Tootsie Roll

and don't forget to buy delicious Tootsie Roll Fudge chocolate or vanilla

Word MANEUVER

USING *ONLY* THE LETTERS IN THE PASSWORD, CAN YOU SPELL *15 FIVE-LETTER WORDS* IN 15 MINUTES? ONE WORD HAS BEEN INSERTED TO SHOW AN EXAMPLE. A LIST OF POSSIBLE ANSWERS APPEARS BELOW. PENCIL READY--WATCH SYNCHRONIZED? THE WORD MANEUVER IS ON!

Password

LEATHERNECK

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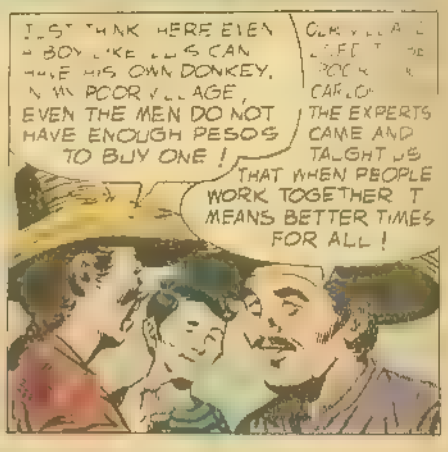
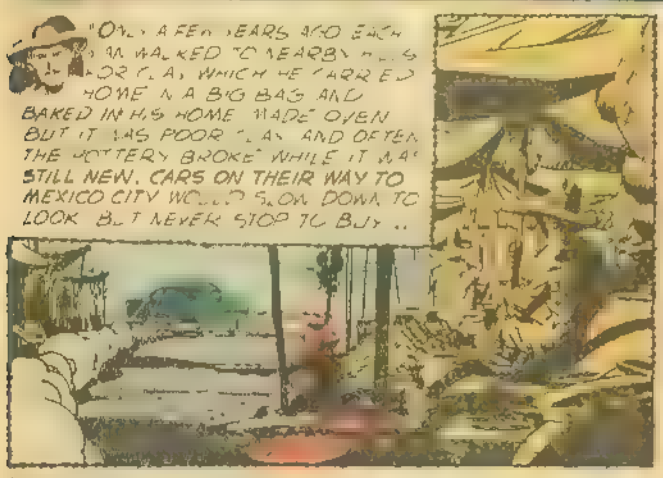
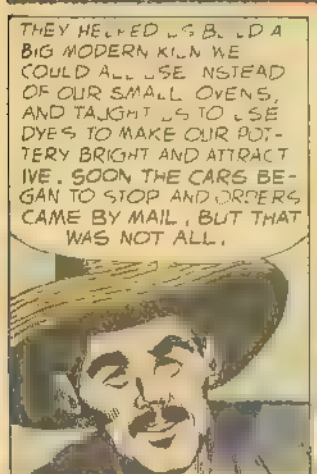
(A TRUE STORY FROM THE FILES OF THE INTERNATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZATION)

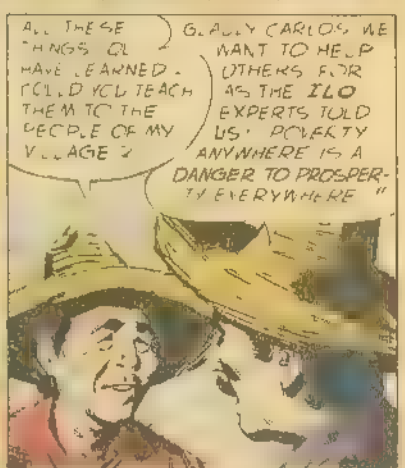



"ONCE A FEW YEARS AGO EACH
MAN WALKED TO NEARBY HILLS
FOR CLAY WHICH HE CARRIED
HOME IN A BIG BAG AND
BAKED IN HIS HOME MADE OVEN
BUT IT WAS POOR CLAY AND OFTEN
THE POTTERY BROKE WHILE IT WAS
STILL NEW. CARS ON THEIR WAY TO
MEXICO CITY WOULD SLOW DOWN TO
LOOK BUT NEVER STOP TO BUY ..

THEN ONE DAY, TWO MEN CAME FROM A PART
OF THE UNITED NATIONS, THE INTERNATIONAL
LABOR ORGANIZATION IN THEIR HOMELANDS
A PLACE FAR BACK IN THE HILLS WITH
BETTER CLAY WHICH WE COULD BRING
BACK TOGETHER IN A COMMUNITY TRUCK


THEY HELPED US BUILD A
BIG MODERN KILN WE
COULD ALL USE INSTEAD
OF OUR SMALL OVENS,
AND TAUGHT US TO USE
DYES TO MAKE OUR POT-
TERY BRIGHT AND ATTRACT
IVE. SOON THE CARS BE-
GAN TO STOP AND ORDERS
CAME BY MAIL, BUT THAT
WAS NOT ALL.

OUR MEN LEARNED CARPENTRY FROM
THEM AS THEY USED THE WOOD IN
OUR FOREST FOR NEW FURNITURE
AND OUR WOMEN LEARNED TO WEAVE
BEAUTIFUL CLOTH. SO LITTLE BY
LITTLE OUR VILLAGE PROSPERED .



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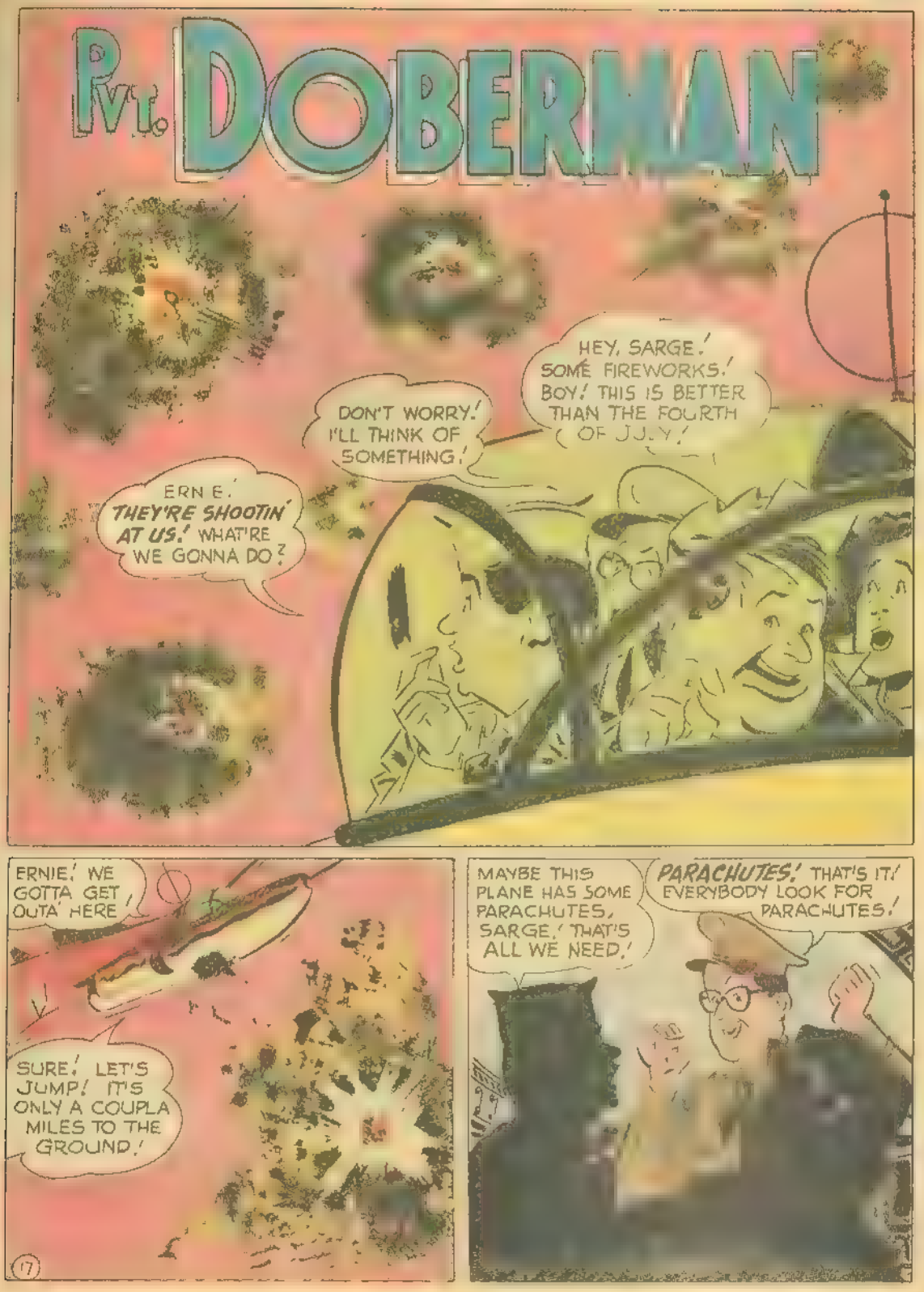
PVT. DOBERMAN
HEY, SARGE! SOME FIREWORKS! BOY! THIS IS BETTER THAN THE FOURTH OF JULY!
DON'T WORRY! I'LL THINK OF SOMETHING!
ERNIE! THEY'RE SHOOTIN' AT US! WHAT'RE WE GONNA DO?
ERNIE! WE GOTTA GET OUTA HERE!
SURE! LET'S JUMP! IT'S ONLY A COUPLA MILES TO THE GROUND!
MAYBE THIS PLANE HAS SOME PARACHUTES, SARGE! THAT'S ALL WE NEED!
PARACHUTES! THAT'S IT! EVERYBODY LOOK FOR PARACHUTES!

HA-HA, SARGE--THERE CAN'T BE ANY PARACHUTES HERE.
LOOK AT HIM--ALWAYS KIDDING. DJANE, EVERY PLANE IN THE AIR FORCE CARRIES PARACHUTES FOR ITS MEN.
BUT, SARGE, THIS IS A ROBOT PLANE!
HUH?
THERE AIN'T SUPPOSED TO BE ANY MEN IN IT.
ALL RIGHT. SO THERE AREN'T ANY PARACHUTES. LOOK FOR THE RADIO. WE GOTTA SIGNAL THEM THEY'RE MAKING A MISTAKE SHOOTING AT US.
SORRY, SARGE--NO RADIO ON THIS PLANE EITHER.
YOU KEEP FORGETTING IT'S A ROBOT
ERNIE. I THINK WE'RE FALLING.
SHH, BARBELLA, DON'T BOTHER ME WITH DETAILS AT A TIME LIKE THIS.
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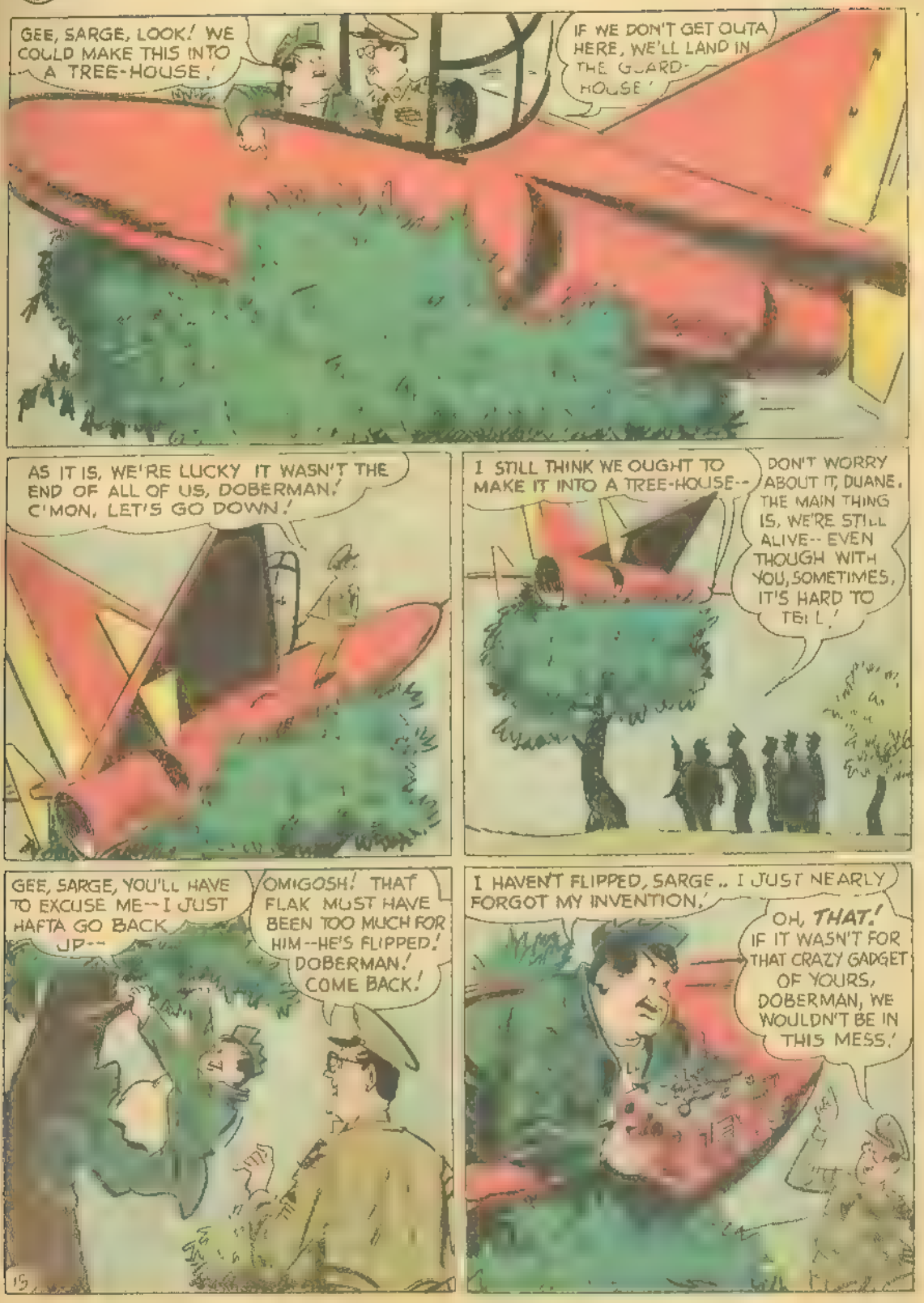
GEE, SARGE, LOOK! WE COULD MAKE THIS INTO A TREE-HOUSE!
IF WE DON'T GET OUTA HERE, WE'LL LAND IN THE GUARD-HOUSE!
AS IT IS, WE'RE LUCKY IT WASN'T THE END OF ALL OF US, DOBERMAN! C'MON, LET'S GO DOWN!
I STILL THINK WE OUGHT TO MAKE IT INTO A TREE-HOUSE--
DON'T WORRY ABOUT IT, DUANE. THE MAIN THING IS, WE'RE STILL ALIVE-- EVEN THOUGH WITH YOU, SOMETIMES, IT'S HARD TO TELL!
GEE, SARGE, YOU'LL HAVE TO EXCUSE ME--I JUST HAFTA GO BACK UP--
OMIGOSH! THAT FLAK MUST HAVE BEEN TOO MUCH FOR HIM--HE'S FLIPPED! DOBERMAN! COME BACK!
I HAVEN'T FLIPPED, SARGE.. I JUST NEARLY FORGOT MY INVENTION!
OH, THAT! IF IT WASN'T FOR THAT CRAZY GADGET OF YOURS, DOBERMAN, WE WOULDN'T BE IN THIS MESS!

C'MON, LET'S GET OUTA HERE.'
THAT'S A GOOD IDEA, ERNIE.' WHOEVER'S BEEN SHOOTING AT THAT PLANE WILL BE LOOKING FOR US.'
BUT ERNIE--HOW DO YOU KNOW WHICH WAY TO GO? WE DON'T EVEN KNOW WHERE WE ARE.'
THAT'S RIGHT, BARBELLA, BUT WE GOTTA TRY. WE CAN'T JUST SIT HERE.
WE'LL JUST CUT THROUGH THESE WOODS. MAYBE THERE'S A TOWN AROUND HERE SOMEPLACE.'
MAYBE WE OUGHTTA FIND A DINER FIRST, SARGE. I'M GETTING AWFUL HUNGRY.'
IS IT MUCH FURTHER, SARGE? MY FEET HURT.'
FORGET YOUR FEET, DOBERMAN. JUST PRETEND WE'RE ON A TEN MILE HIKE.'
BUT, SARGE--I DON'T HAVE TO PRETEND. WE'VE WALKED OVER TEN MILES ALREADY.'
YOU OUGHTTA BE GLAD, DUANE. WHEN WE FIND THAT DINER, JUST THINK WHAT AN APPETITE YOU'LL HAVE!

HEY, SARGE--WHY DON'T WE STOP WALKING THROUGH THE FIELDS AND GO OUT ON THE ROAD? I HEAR A CAR COMING! MAYBE IT'S A BUS!
WHAT? WHERE? DOBERMAN, ARE YOU THINKING WITH YOUR STOMACH AGAIN?
ERNIE, DOBERMAN'S RIGHT! I HEAR A CAR, TOO!
I SEE IT! IT'S A JEEP! THERE'S A ROAD UP THERE!
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HEY, FELLOWS! HOLD IT!
HOLD IT, MEN!
SCREECH!
SGT. BILKO, HERE, SIR. MY MEN AND I HAVE BECOME SEPARATED FROM OUR UNIT. PERHAPS YOU CAN HELP!
MAYBE WE CAN SERGEANT. WHERE ARE YOU AND YOUR MEN FROM?
FORT BAXTER, SIR- KANSAS!
WHAT? KANSAS?
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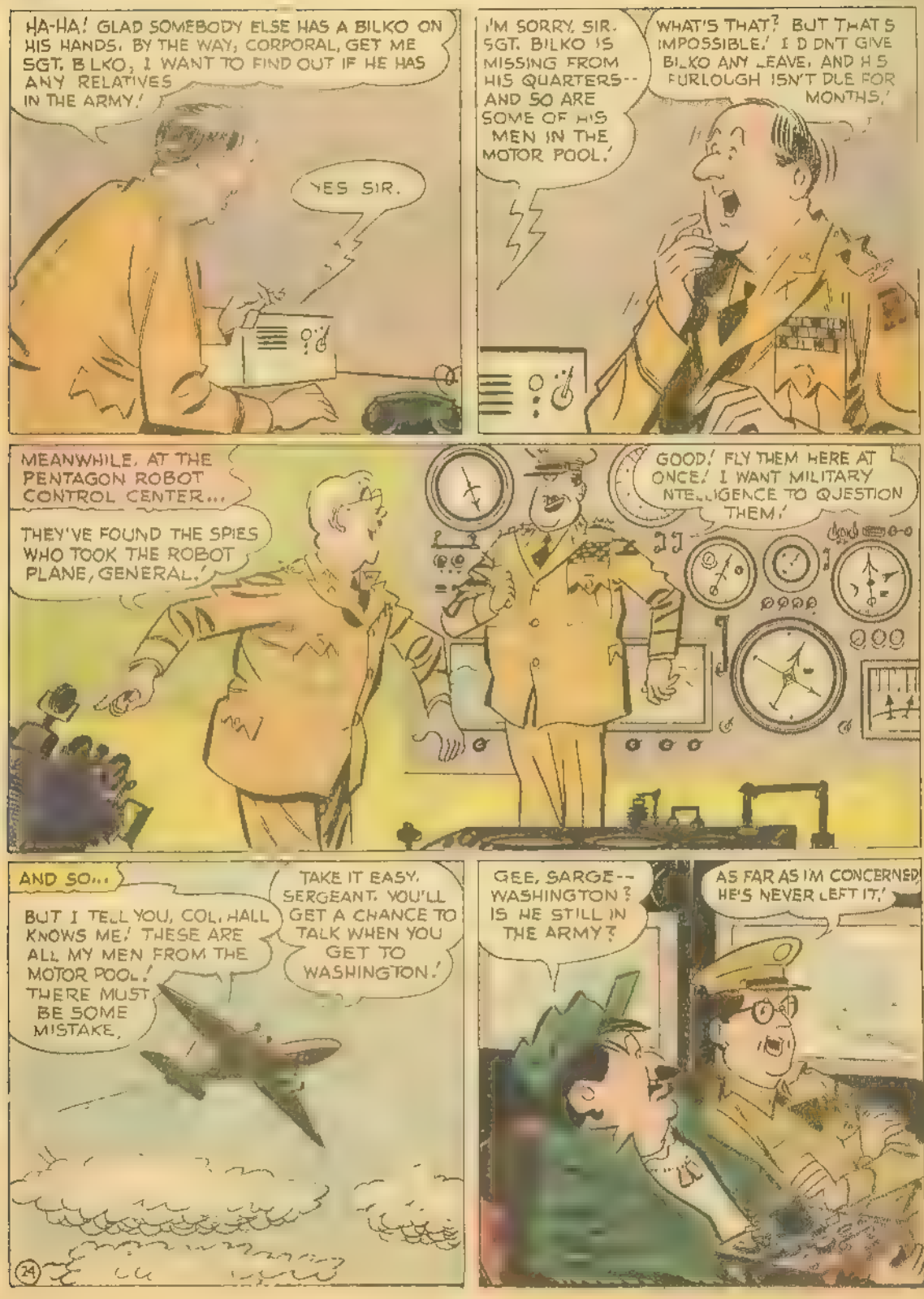
PVT. DOBERMAN

FORT BAXTER, KANSAS? DO YOU REALIZE WHERE YOU ARE SOLDIER? THIS IS CALIFORNIA
CALIFORNIA? SUNNY CALIFORNIA? WELL WELL THINK OF THAT, MEN.'
HA HA. OUR MISSION IS ACCOMPLISHED THEN. THE COLONEL WILL CERTAINLY BE PLEASED TO HEAR WE GOT HERE SAFELY.
R T SARGE THE CO ONE DOESN'T E EN KNOW WE HERE
WHAT'S THAT? YOUR COLONEL DOESN'T KNOW WHAT?
EXCUSE HIM, SIR. HE'S EXHAUSTED. HAD A VERY TRYING DAY. I'M AFRAID HIS MIND IS AFFECTED.
BUT SARGE, DON'T YOU REMEMBER? WE'RE ALL A.W.O.L.! WE STOLE THAT ROBOT PLANE FROM THE ARMY.'
WHAT?!
PUT THESE MEN UNDER ARREST.' . M AFRAID THESE SOLDIERS HAVE A LOT OF EXPLAINING TO DO -- THAT IS, IF THEY REALLY ARE SOLDIERS! THE PENTAGON SAID THAT ROBOT PLANE WAS IN ENEMY HANDS.'
BUT - SIR THIS IS R DICULOUS.'

PVT. DOBERMAN

HEY, SARGE! WE'RE REAL LUCKY, HUH? NOW WE DON'T HAVE TO WALK!
THAT'S RIGHT, DOBERMAN. AND IF I COULD GET MY HANDS ON YOU, YOU WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO WA-
WE'VE FOUND THE SPIES GENERAL. ONLY THEY'RE PRETENDING TO BE SOLDERS FROM FORT BAXTER IN KANSAS.
HA! THAT OUGHT TO BE EASY TO FIND AN THAT AND HOW THEY STOLE OUR NEWEST ROBOT PLANE!
HEY SAY YOU CAN REPEAT THE STORY I TOLD YOU, WOULD YOU? CALL A COLONEL AT FORT BAXTER AND TELL HIM IT'S SGT. BILKO AND HIS SPECIAL SECRET MISSION.
A GEN. DEEGAN CALLING YOU FROM CALIFORNIA, COLONEL!
CALIFORNIA? GEN. DEEGAN? GOOD HEAVENS! I MUST BE NOT BEING TRANSFERRED OUT THERE.
WHAT'S THAT GENERAL HAVE A SGT. BILKO HERE ON A SPECIAL SECRET MISSION? THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE! GENERAL SGT. IS ON THIS POST AND HE'S NOT ASSIGNED TO ANY SECRET MISSION.
MAYBE YOU'RE DEALING WITH AN IMPOSTOR, OR YOU'RE THE VICTIM OF A HOAX


HA-HA! GLAD SOMEBODY ELSE HAS A BILKO ON HIS HANDS. BY THE WAY, CORPORAL, GET ME SGT. BILKO, I WANT TO FIND OUT IF HE HAS ANY RELATIVES IN THE ARMY.'
YES SIR.
I'M SORRY, SIR. SGT. BILKO IS MISSING FROM HIS QUARTERS-- AND SO ARE SOME OF HIS MEN IN THE MOTOR POOL.'
WHAT'S THAT? BUT THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE.' I DIDN'T GIVE BILKO ANY LEAVE, AND HIS FURLOUGH ISN'T DUE FOR MONTHS.'
MEANWHILE, AT THE PENTAGON ROBOT CONTROL CENTER...
THEY'VE FOUND THE SPIES WHO TOOK THE ROBOT PLANE, GENERAL.'
GOOD.' FLY THEM HERE AT ONCE.' I WANT MILITARY INTELLIGENCE TO QUESTION THEM.'
AND SO...
BUT I TELL YOU, COL. HALL KNOWS ME.' THESE ARE ALL MY MEN FROM THE MOTOR POOL.' THERE MUST BE SOME MISTAKE.
TAKE IT EASY, SERGEANT. YOU'LL GET A CHANCE TO TALK WHEN YOU GET TO WASHINGTON.'
GEE, SARGE-- WASHINGTON? IS HE STILL IN THE ARMY?
AS FAR AS I'M CONCERNED, HE'S NEVER LEFT IT.'
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WASHINGTON...
I CAN EXPLAIN EVERYTHING, GENERAL. YOU SEE, PVT. DUANE DOBERMAN HERE HAS INVENTED AN ELECTRONIC MACHINE THE ARMY CAN USE.'
NDEED? HA-HA.' I DON'T SUPPOSE HE'D MIND GIVING US A DEMONSTRATION.'
OKAY, DOBERMAN, YOU GOTTA CONVINCE 'EM! PUT IT ON.'
IN HERE, SARGE? OKAY -- BUT IT MIGHT BE DANGEROUS--
CLICK!
THAT CRAZY THING WORK? HA HA.'
CLICK! CLICK!
GOOD HEAVENS, GENERAL.' ALL OUR ROBOT PLANES ARE COMING BACK.' THEY SEEM ATTRACTED TO THAT-- THAT GADGET.'
WHAT? ARE YOU SURE?
CLICK! CLICK!
NOT ONLY ARE THEY COMING BACK-- BUT THEY'RE COMING DIRECTLY AT US.'
SHUT THAT OFF.'
I- I CAN'T.'
CLICK! CLICK! CLICK!
CLICK! CLICK!
C'MON, DOBERMAN.' TAKE IT OUTSIDE DOWN THESE STAIRS FAST.'
OKAY, SARGE.'
CLICK! CLICK!
OOPS.' I BUSTED IT.'
OH NO.' ANOTHER MILLION BUCKS SHOT.'
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LATER...
SO YOU'RE COLONEL EH? DO YOU REALIZE WHAT YOUR MEN HAVE DONE?
I ASSURE YOU SIR-- IF BILKO'S DONE ANYTHING WRONG--
WRONG? WHY THIS MAN DOBERMAN HERE, WORKING WITH YOUR SGT. BILKO HAS COME UP WITH AN ANTI-RADAR DEVICE THAT MAKES EVERYTHING WE HAVE, OBSOLETE! WE'D LIKE HIM TO BUILD ANOTHER ONE! WE'LL GIVE YOU ANYTHING YOU NEED!
BUILD ANOTHER ONE? BUT--
AH, YES, COLONEL. THAT RESEARCH CENTER YOU'VE DREAMED UP WHERE THE ... OF SCIENCE CAN LEAD THE WAY-- LIFTING US OUT OF OUR NUM-DRUM TASKS
AND SO...
HEY SARGE, NOW THAT WE HAVE OUR RESEARCH CENTER WHEN CAN I BUILD MY OTHER INVENTION?
LATER DOBERMAN. LET'S TRY THE ELECTRONIC BINGO GAME ONCE MORE. OKAY BOYS, MONEY DOWN. DOUBLE OR NOTHING ON A BLOWN FUSE.
PICK A LITE BINGO
OKAY ERNIE, I'M BETTING ON THOSE BLUE LIGHTS TO GO FIRST.
I'LL TAKE THE RED. HERE'S MY FIVE.
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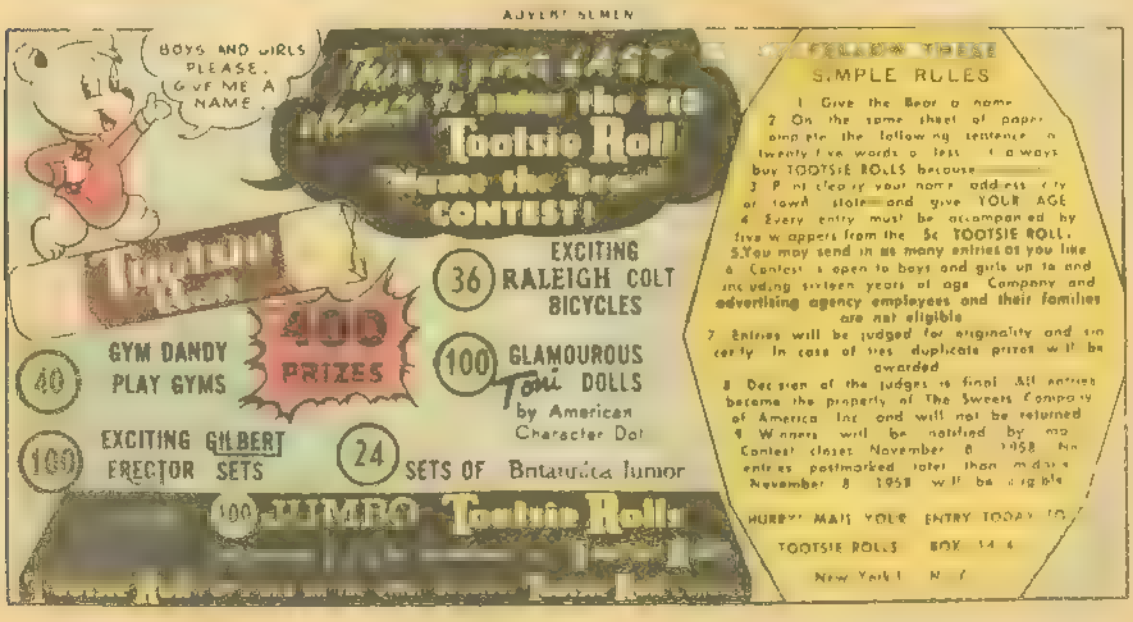
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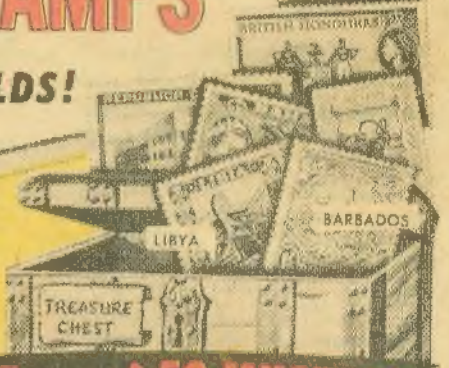

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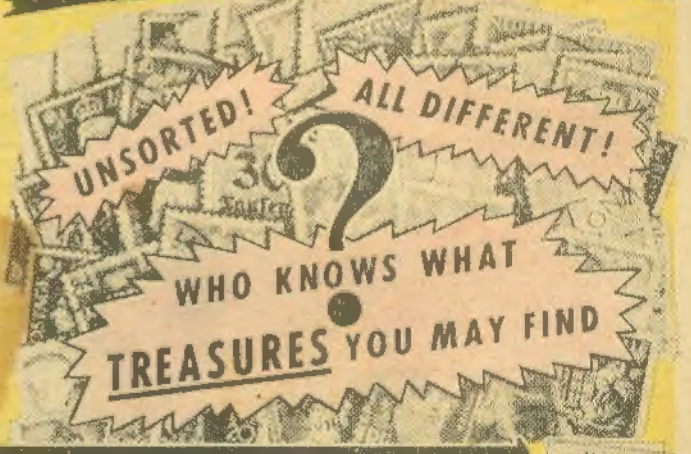

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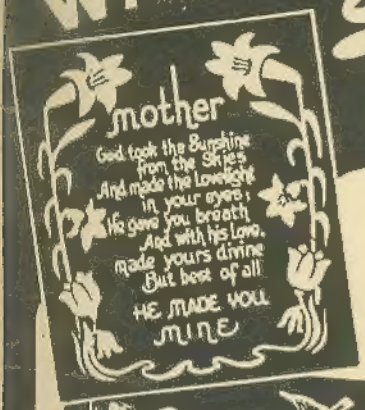

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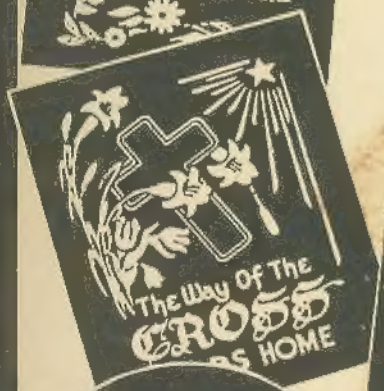

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